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6. [] I met with Mr. Charles Johnson, Staff Director, House Post Office and Civil Service, who apologized for the Committee's inability to include in the conference report necessary authority for retroactive adjustment of salary. Mr. Johnson indicated that on review of the conference report Mr. Lewis Oschler, Parliamentarian of the House, ruled that the provision would be subject to a point of order. Upon inquiry, Mr. Johnson advised that further Committee assistance is not possible at this time since no further meetings of the Committee will be scheduled.

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7. [] Met with Mr. William Gullledge, Staff Director, Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee, and discussed the possibility of inclusion of appropriate authorizing language in one of the items of legislation previously passed by the House of Representatives and now pending before the Senate Committee. Mr. Gullledge agreed that this might be a possibility if further legislation is considered by the Committee. There is no firm date as yet for such a meeting.

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After passage of the conference report I was accompanied by Mr. [] Legal Adviser, NSA, to a meeting with Mr. Gullledge. Mr. Gullledge indicated that he would appreciate being advised of the number of agencies involved, and in particular the number of persons affected by this legislation. The matter of inclusion of appropriate authority in other legislation will receive further consideration by the Committee. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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8. [] Mr. Sherman, in the office of Senator Claiborne Pell, called concerning a commentary by the International Committee for Information and Social Activity (CIAS) in Luxembourg on the Agency's paper on the Soviet economy. Mr. Sherman was primarily interested in whether the CIAS was a part of the Agency and how much of the material in the commentary was in our paper. Having obtained information from CI Staff on this for the Internal Security Subcommittee, I gave Sherman limited background information on [] For his information and retention, I sent him a copy of the Agency's paper. I also called to his attention studies conducted by the Joint Economic Committee and the Internal Security Subcommittee on this subject. Sherman was most appreciative of this information.

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